



April 08, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

U.S. Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration
Top Hat Plan Exemption
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., N-1513
Washington, D.C. 20210

Re: Top Hat Plan Registration Statement

Dear Sir or Madam:

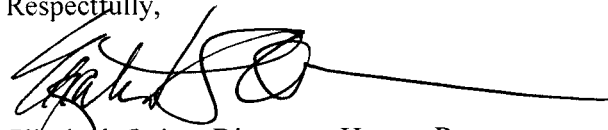
Pursuant to and in accordance with Department of Labor Regulation §2520.104-23, this letter is being submitted to report that Northwestern Memorial HealthCare (the "Company"), with its principal place of business located at 541 N. Fairbanks Court, Suite 1700, Chicago, IL 60611, EIN 37-0960170, has adopted the following plan:

- Northwestern Memorial HealthCare 457(b) Eligible Deferred Compensation Plan, with 299 participating employees in the Plan.

Each plan is an unfunded pension plan or arrangement maintained by the Company primarily for the purpose of providing deferred compensation for a select group of management or highly compensated employees. Currently, the plan is the only top hat plan maintained by the Company.

In accordance with Section 104(a)(6) of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 , as amended, and applicable regulations, plan documents will be provided upon request.

Respectfully,



Elizabeth Quinn, Director – Human Resources
On behalf of the Company

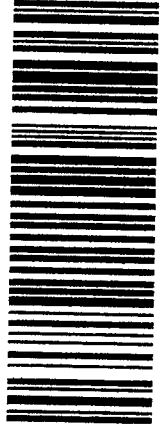
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